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SUBJECT: CERP-0584 - JAPANESE INDICES OF EXPORTS AND IMPORTS - MAY

REF: TOKYO 7315

1. SUMMARY: IN MAY UNIT VALUE AND QUANTUM INDICES OF IMPORTS (NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED) RECORDED INCREASES OF 2.1 PERCENT AND 6.0 PERCENT RESPECTIVELY FROM APRIL. ON THE OTHER HAND, UNADJUSTED UNIT VALUE INDEX OF EXPORTS RECORDED DECLINE OF 1.4 PERCENT FROM PRIOR MONTH, AND QUANTUM INDEX OF EXPORTS DECLINED FOR THE SECOND CONSECUTIVE MONTH. END SUMMARY.

2. MOF EXPORT AND IMPORT UNIT VALUE INDEX (ALL COMMODITIES, CUSTOMS CLEARANCE BASIS, NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED, 1970-100) FOR MAY AS FOLLOWS: EXPORTS 151.3; IMPORTS 210.4.

3. MONTHLY QUANTUM INDEX (ALL COMMODITIES, CUSTOMS CLEARANCE BASIS, NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED, 1970-100) FOR MAY AS FOLLOWS: EXPORTS 146.3; IMPORTS 124.5.

4. SAME DATA ARE SEASONALLY ADJUSTED BY EPA. AGENCY HAS NOT YET RELEASED SEASONALLY ADJUSTED FIGURES FOR MAY 1975. HOWEVER, ON A BASIS OF SEASONAL FACTORS UNOFFICIALLY PROVIDED BY EPA, EMBASSY ESTIMATES SEASONALLY

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ADJUSTED DATA ON UNIT VALUE INDEX FOR MAY AS FOLLOWS:

EXPORTS 153.0; IMPORTS 203.5. SEASONALLY ADJUSTED MONTHLY
QUANTUM INDEX FOR MAY 1975 IS ESTIMATED ON THE SAME BASIS
AS FOLLOWS: EXPORTS 149.7; IMPORTS 117.2.

5. EPA HAS NOW OFFICIALLY RELEASED SEASONALLY ADJUSTED
DATA ON UNIT VALUE AND QUANTUM INDICES FOR APRIL 1975.
INDEX VALUES ARE IDENTICAL WITH THOSE REPORTED REFTEL.
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